

REMARKS

Claims 1 to 36 are pending. Claims 17-18, and 30-33 have been withdrawn from consideration. Claim 34 is amended. Claim 36 is cancelled.

Applicants note with thanks the allowance of Claims 1-16 and 29. Additionally, Applicants note that Claims 35 and 36 are objected to as being dependent on a rejected claim, but would be allowable if rewritten in independent form.

§ 102 Rejections

Claim 34 is rejected under 35 USC § 102(e) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent Number 6,838,142 to Yang. Claim 34 has been amended to incorporate the limitations of Claim 36.

The rejection of claim 34 under 35 USC § 102(e) as being anticipated by Yang has been overcome and should be withdrawn.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the application is in condition for allowance. Reconsideration of the application is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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